

# University of Minnesota

## Teaching/ Research Tax Treaty Affidavit

For: **Bangladesh, Belgium, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Israel, Japan, Netherlands, Thailand and Venezuela**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Tax Identification Number \_\_\_\_\_

I was a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ on the date of my arrival in the United States. I am not a U. S. citizen. I have not been lawfully accorded the privilege of residing permanently in the United States as an immigrant.

I have accepted an invitation by the U.S. government, or by a university or other recognized educational institution in the United States, to come to the United States for the purpose of teaching or engaging in research at the **University of Minnesota**, which is a recognized educational institution. I will receive compensation for my teaching or research activities.

The teaching or research compensation received during the entire tax year (or during the portion of the year from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_) qualifies for the exemption from withholding of federal tax under the tax treaty between the United States and \_\_\_\_\_. I have not previously claimed an income tax exemption under this treaty for income received as a teacher, researcher, or student before the date of my arrival in the United States.

Any research I perform will be undertaken in the public interest and not primarily for the private benefit of a specific person or persons.

I arrived in the United States on \_\_\_\_\_. (*insert the date of your last arrival in the United States before beginning the teaching or research services for which the exemption is claimed*). The treaty exemption is available **only for compensation paid during a period of two years beginning on that date**.

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that to the best of my knowledge, the above information is complete and accurate.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_